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SUBJECT: RWANDA SPECIAL SELF HELP PROGRAM: OBLIGATION
STATUS REPORT FY 2008

¶1. (U) Summary: On September 26, 2008 CDA signed six grant agreements totaling \$40,000 for the Ambassador's Self Help Program for FY 2008. Post has fully obligated all of the Ambassador's Special Self-Help Program funds in FY 2008.

¶2. (U) Project(s) summary and status as follows:

- ¶A. Project Number: SHF-8-696-01
Project Name: Bakery
Grantee: Rebero Orphan Center
Beneficiaries: 72
U.S. Contribution: \$7,231
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to purchase a new dough mixer and kitchen supplies to expand the center's bakery.
- ¶B. Project Number: SHF-8-696-02
Project Name: Sewing workshop
Grantee: Cooperative des Techniciens en Couture et Tricotage (CTCTG)
Beneficiaries: 18
U.S. Contribution: \$8,924
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to buy new sewing machines for a sewing workshop cooperative located in Byumba North Rwanda.
- ¶C. Project Number: SHF-8-696-03
Project Name: Bicycle repair project
Grantee: DUTI Cooperative
Beneficiaries: 220
U.S. Contribution: \$2,868
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to set-up a training center for bicycle repair in Kayonza district eastern Rwanda.
- ¶D. Project Number: SHF-8-696-04
Project Name: Handicraft workshop
Grantee: Cooperative Rwandaise des Art (CORWAR)
Beneficiaries: 90
U.S. Contribution: \$6,803
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to purchase equipment and supplies for a handicraft workshop in Kigali.
- ¶E. Project Number: SHF-8-696-05
Project Name: Cheese
Grantee: Urugero Association
Beneficiaries: 10 plus numerous local dairy farmers
U.S. Contribution: \$4,914
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to purchase aluminum molds, refrigerator and other supplies for making cheese.

1F. Project Number: SHF-8-696-06
Project Name: Flour mill
Grantee: Association des Femmes Abahuje
Beneficiaries: 22 plus approximately 1,000 members of
the local community that will use the mill.
U.S. Contribution: \$9,260
Date Obligated: September 26, 2008
Description: Funds will be used to purchase a
community grain mill to mill sorghum and cassava.

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